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In re application of: **Thomas POSCHMANN et al.**  
 Application No.: **10/777,427**  
 Filed: **February 12, 2004**  
 For: **METHOD FOR CONTROLLING A FUEL CELL SYSTEM AND SYSTEMS FOR EXECUTING THE METHOD**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Response to Election/Restriction Requirement (5 pages)** in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.
- Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.
- No fee for additional claims is required.
- A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

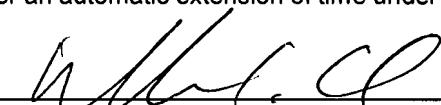
(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)		SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY		
FOR:	REMAINING	HIGHEST	PRESENT	RATE	FEES	OR	RATE	FEES
	AFTER	PREVIOUSLY	PRESENT					
TOTAL CLAIMS	* Minus 20	=	0	x \$ 25   \$			x \$ 50   \$	
INDEP. CLAIMS	* Minus 3	=	0	x \$100   \$			x \$200   \$	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+ \$180   \$			+ \$360   \$	
				TOTAL: \$		OR	TOTAL: \$	

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- Also transmitted herewith are:
  - Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
  - Other:
- Check(s) in the amount of **\$120.00** is/are attached to cover:
  - Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16
  - Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
  - Other:
- The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.
  - Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.
  - Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
  - Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.



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